ask for explanations of M. De Rodays and egged us to accompany him in order to serve as witnesses in case of need. We therefore went to M. De Rodays's resience this morning, which is on the fifth foor of the house, where we presented our us. He had on a gray dressing robe. After polite exchange of salutations the Count De Castellane said: 'You published against me this morning an abominable paragraph. I have come to ask for explanations.' "M. De Rodays replied: 'Do you mean an

"I interposed, saying: 'Have you not read "Yes, said M. De Rodays, but I do not understand. "Bonl then exclaimed impatiently: 'Will

you retract? Yes or no. 'M. De Rodays began: 'I cannot---' Boni, without allowing him to conclude, said: 'Can you say formally that it is not I you intended to refer to? Reply quickly that it is not 1; speak quickly or---"At the same moment Bonl approached im and boxed his ears several times. M De Rodays recoiled and Bont struck him again. We then intervened and stood in front of M. De Rodays. Then after polite salutations the whole party withdrew, M. De Rodays, who was much agitated, accompanying us to the door.

#### WILL FIGHT TO-DAY.

## M. Deronlede and M. Buffet to Meet

in Switzerland This Morning. LAUSANNE, Switzerland, March 14 shaqowing them closely to prevent the duel. M. Buffet is also here. M. Deroulede, referring to the activity of the police, is quoted as saying that if he and M to do but to go elsewhere.

The magistrate has intimated to the reconds of MM. Deroulede and Buffet that the

PARIS, March 15 .- A dispatch to Le Journal from Laussane, after announcing the prrival of M. Buffet's seconds there, says they have had a final interview with the seconds of M. Deroulede, and that the duel will take place at dawn to-day (Friday.)

#### EN ROUTE WEST.

(CONCLUDED FROM FIRST PAGE.) nelius N. Bliss to draft resolutions relative to the death of the ex-President.

## LOSS TO THE GRAND ARMY.

#### Commander Beem's Expression on the | ler's shoe store and the postoffice. Death of General Harrison.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

SPENCER, Ind., March 14.- David E. Beem, commander of the Grand Army of day gave expression to the following on the death of Ex-President Benjamin Har-

"The death of General Harrison comes with peculiar force to the old soldiers. It is a fresh reminder that nearly all the renowned chieftains of the civil war have rassed away. While he did not achieve that distinction as a commander which many of the great generals acquired, his military record reflects great honor upon him and credit upon the State of his adoption Lake Grant and Logan and Garfield and most of the distingushed leaders of our armies he emphasized ais patriotism and service as a soldier by becoming a member of the Grand Army of the Republic, Hi zeal and devotion to the Union during and since the war, his splendid career as lawyer, orator, statesman and President made him the most distinguished member of our patriotic order. Every old soldier, in spirit, if not in person, will lay a flower and a nag upon his grave.'

#### Uplon City Memorial Meeting.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. UNION CITY, Ind., March 14 .- at a meet ing of the residents of this city to-night, presided over by the mayor, speeches were made by leading citizens and much sorrow expressed at the death of General Harrison. A committee was directed to transmit to the family a telegram of condolence Arrangements were made for a memorial scrvice, to be held at the Opera House on the evening of Sunday, the 17th, at which time addresses will be made by the ministers of the various churches. A feeling of deep sorrow pervades the whole coramunity, and the death of General Harrison is regarded as a great loss to the Nation

# REGRETTED IN GERMANY.

#### Foreign Office Official on the Death of the Ex-President.

BERLIN, March 14 .- The death of Gen. Benjamin Harrison is generally commented on this evening by the German press, with the exception of the semi-official organs, but a high official of the Foreign Office teemed here, and his death is keenly regretted. The estimation in which he was held as an able American statesman Emperor William voiced on the general's visit in 1899, when the Emperor paid him special

The uninspired papers, however, differ widely in their comments. The Lokal Anzeiger says: "With this statesman one of the most emphatic Republicans has departed. He was a declared champion of the New York, yesterday. All of the estate Monroe doctrine, with a pan-American is left to the family. tendency, and an advocate of the extremest

Nearly all the papers print long blogeral Harrison, personally, was scarcely and he often showed rude behavior.

ouncement of General Harri- agitation here.' son's death the flags of the United States embassy and the United States consul general's office, as well as those of many members of the American colony in Berlin, were

# WEATHER FORECAST.

Clearing Throughout Indiana To-Day -Fair on Saturday.

WASHINGTON, March 14.-Forecast for Friday and Saturday:

clearing, except along the lake. Saturday fair; fresh west to northwest winds.

fresh west to north winds. For Indiana-Clearing on Friday. Saturday fair; fresh west to north winds.

eastern portion on Friday. Saturday fair;

# Local Observations on Thursday.

Bar, Ther. R.H. Wind, Weather, Pre. S'west. Lt. snow. 0.01 7 p. m. 29.85 31 87 West, Cloudy, 0.04 Maximum temperature, 35; minimum tem-Following is a comparative statement of

Departure from normal..... -5 -0.06 parture since March 1..... -28 °0.95 C. F. R. WAPPENHANS.

#### Local Forecast Official. Yesterday's Temperatures.

# Min. Max. 7 p. m. Stations

Atlanta, Ga. Bismarck, N. D...... 16 Buffalo, N. Y..... 34 Calgary, N. W. T..... Cheyenne, Wyo ..... 22 Concordia, Kan...... 28 Davenport, Ia..... 30 Galveston, Tex..... Helena, Mont...... 36 Jacksonville, Fla..... Kansas City, Mo..... Little Rock, Ark..... 42 Memphis, Tenn....... 42 Nashville, Tenn..... New Orleans..... New York ... North Platte, Neb ..... Oklahoma, O. T.... Omaha, Neb. Pittsburg ... Qu' Appelle, N. W. T... tapid City, S. D ... alt Lake City, Utah ... t. Paul, Minn ..... 

## A MILLION

tards. M. De Rodays immediately received MAJOR PORTION OF THE TOWN OF CLOVERPORT, KY., BURNED.

> Over 1,000 People, Half the Population, Homeless-American Tobacco

> > Company the Chief Loser.

CLOVERPORT, Ky., March 14.-Fire, which broke out here at midnight, caused by the bursting of a natural-gas pipe, destroyed property worth a half million dol- Resolutions Adopted by the Convenlars. The greater part of the little town was wiped out. Over one thousand persons, about one-half the population, are homeless and up to the time a special relief train from Louisville reached here were in great distress. The greatest loser is the American Tobacco Company, which lost two large stemmeries and one million not been estimated, but will be very heavy. Other large structures destroyed were Lu-MM. Paul Deroulede, Marcel Habert and cille Memorial Methodist Church and the

ridge Inn and the Cloverport Hotel, The following business houses are in ruins and their losses are estimated to be: M. Buffet cannot clude them there is nothing \$15,000; F. N. Depuy, \$40,000; Seaton & Sippel, \$20,000; Haynes & Co., \$15,000; Moreman & Owen, \$5,000; Alex. Boyd's building, \$3,000; duel must not take place in the Canton of | Short & Haynes, druggists, \$8,000; C. & L. Lippel, confectioners, \$1,000; W. H. Bowner, two-story building, \$2,000; the Breckinridge police, News, \$15,000; Breckinridge Bank, loss unknown; Fisher, druggist, \$5,000.

Other business houses destroyed and whose losses have not been estimated, were those of Miss Julia Miller, millinery; Mrs. Frank Frays, dry goods; H. E. Wingert, merchant tailor; Johnson's boarding house; J. G. Boyd, unoccupied; J. D. Babbage, book store and printing office; R. T. Newsome, physician; A. R. Fisher, drugs; James R. Skillman, law office; four meat stores, three barber shops, three blacksmith shops, Sanger's dry goods store, H. E. Doh-

homeless they ordered every available coach between Louisville and Henderson hurried to Cloverport, and in these the unfortunate will, for the time being, make their homes. The management also sent five thousand loaves of bread and other food, which came as a great blessing, since not a store was left in town where a mouthful of food could be bought. Adjutant General Murray telegraphed that five hundred tents had been dispatched from Frankfort and the authorities at Louisville wired that a for shooting and killing his stepson began train-load of relief, quickly gathered, would at Scranton, Miss., yesterday, There was

of Louisville, Owensboro, Henderson and the proceedings regular. Evansville, and at 4:30 o'clock this morning an engine and company arrived, but it was of little use, as the flames had been fanned by a high wind and had, by that time, done their worst. As far as known no one was seriously injured.

#### 6ther Fires.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., March 14.-Fire at Eutaw to-day destroyed the planters' warehouse, together with 1,500 bales of cotton and several cars of freight. The entire town narrowly escaped destruction. The loss is \$100,000, almost wholly covered by in-

CHICAGO, March 14 .- The hardware spedalty factory of the Chicago Spring Butt Company, No. 496 Carroll avenue, burned

## DEED OF GEORGE WEAVER.

to-night. Loss, \$100,000.

#### Shot Sleeping Wife, Who Had a Babe in Arms, and Killed Himself.

NEW PHILADELPHIA, O., March 14.-George Weaver, of Canal Dover, O., out Trout's defense was insanity. of employment, this morning shot his sleeping wife to death, then killed himself, leaving seven orphaned children. The babe was found by neighbors in its dead mother's arms covered with blood.

# Killed Sweetheart and Self.

NORWOOD, Mass., March 14.-Ralph G Bateman killed his sweetheart, Ella F. White, at her home here, and then committed suicide by shooting. Bateman was unsettled by a recent attack of the grip. Webber.

# TELEGRAPH MISCELLANY.

John T. McCutcheon, the Chicago artist, who went to Asheville, N. C., ten days ago for his health, is improving. The will of former Secretary of State William Evarts was filed for probate at

A dispatch from the City of Mexico says: Alarmist reports regarding the health of President Diaz and conspiracies in Mexico raphies. The Boersen Zeitung says: "Gen- | are absolutely baseless. These reports are believed to be fabricated by men who are the fact that he is awaiting an official re- dend declared is 10 per cent., as against 8 popular. His exterior was unprepossessing, hostile to the government and for stock port from there. He will, it is said, urge for the previous year.

> North Carolina Supreme Court, began in cated in the burning. the State Senate yesterday. The General | The United States authorities and the au-Assembly will to-day take a recess until thorities of Custer county, Montana, have April 3, when it will convene in extra session to receive from the court of impeach- who are said to be implicated in the theft ment the result of the trial.

> Elizabeth, N. J., jumped the track near bers of the gang have escaped, and are Westfield Wednesday night, while running | now being pursued by the officers. The at a high rate of speed. It turned com- "rustlers" had changed the brands on the pletely over, rolled down an embankment | cattle, and had expected to run them out and landed upside down. Six women and of Montana and ship them to Chicago in three men, passengers, were injured, two small bunches. of the women very seriously.

For Ohio-Snow on Friday, followed by at first supposed, W. C. Sawyer, of New to have met his death by violence in the York, who was found dead in bed at the Manhattan State Hospital, New York, Wellington Hotel, Chicago, Monday afternoon, is now believed to have committed fullest investigation by the authorities. For Illinois-Fair in western; clearing in suicide. Developments in the case and the circumstances surrounding the death indi- | fifth, sixth and seventh ribs on the left cate that Mr. Sawyer's mind was affected. Coroner's Physician O'Hamlon yesterday made a supplementary report to the district attorney's office on the cause of death of Herbert C. Wadman, on March 5 last at the Manhattan State Hospital, New York. The report states that Wadman's death was not due to violence, but that he died from pephritis, induced by the excessive use of alcohol.

Professor E. Finley Johnson, secretary of the law department of the University | the missing money, which he says he gave Michigan, last night announced his intention of accepting the appointment to the temperature and precipitation March 14: a supreme judgeship in the Philippines, Temp. Pre. | tendered him a few weeks ago by President McKinley. He will formally resign his position at Ann Arbor to-day.

Mrs. George F. Hall, the Chicago dressmaker who in September last, it is alleged, Departure since Jan. 1......... -204 -2.40 | endeavored to bring \$4,000 worth of silks. laces and Parisian-made gowns into this country without paying the duties, was yesterday arraigned before United States Commissioner Shields, at New York, on the charge of smuggling. She waived examination and gave ball in \$1,500.

> the Order of Select Friends, the fraternal | counts, two alleging false entries and one nsurance society that has been declared the willful misapplication of \$1,000. insolvent, place the liabilities at \$16,000, but many connected with the order assert that it has unpaid claims of \$50,000, and perhaps more. No charges of misappropriation have been made. The loss will fall prin-40 | cirally on the older policy Lolders.

The ruling of the lower court that the hristie-street Commission Company, of Kansas City, conducts a bucketship, and as such is not entitled to the quotacions of the Ch.cago Board of Trade, is sustained by a decision handed down by the Appellate Court. of Chicago. The Kansas City concern, by this decision, is denied an infunction restraining the Board of Trade from shitting off its market report.

The thirteenth annual commencement and twenty-second anniversary of the Carlisle Indian Industrial School was held yesterday. The graduating class numbered thir- | dam, for Boulogne and New York. ty-nine-the largest yet sent out. Orations were presented by Anna Goyettna, Pueblo; George Ferris, Klamath; Ina Parnell, Nez Perces; Luzenia Tibetts, Chippewa, and Herman Niles, Stockbridge, Eighteen tribes were represented in the graduating class. Judge Townsend, of the United States

Court, Southern district of the Indian Ter-

ritory, handed down a decision yesterday

making perpetual the injunction against RAIDED BY KRITZINGER restraining them from attempting to colect municipal taxes from railroads. Judge

railroads in the Southern district, because carry out a system of taxation there. The constitutionality of the "ripper" bill which recently became a law in Pennsylvania, and which provides a new charter for second-class cities, came up for argument in the Lackawanna courts yesterday on quo warranto proceedings instituted by ormer Senator McDonald, of Scranton, on his petition requiring James Moler to show by what authority he exercises the office and duties of recorder of Scranton, to

Townsend held there was no law to tax

#### UNITED MINE WORKERS.

which Governor Stone recently appointed

him. The hearing occupied the entire day.

# tion of Anthracite Diggers.

HAZLETON, Pa., March 14.-The United Mine Workers' convention was in executive session all morning considering the reports of the resolutions and legislative committees. Resolutions were adopted inpounds of tobacco. The American loss has structing each local organization to appoint a committee of three to examine of contract miners to ascertain whether the for the food they obtained. Galli arrived here to-day. The police are only two hotels in the town, the Breckin- men are receiving the 10 per cent, increase, and petitioning Governor Stone and the pardoning board to authorize the release Haman & Son, furniture, \$25,000; F. Frazee, rioting at Oneida last fall and sentenced to terms of imprisonment ranging from pending before the State Legislature which

#### CRIMES OF ALL DEGREES.

Mrs. Richardson has been indicted by the grand jury of St. Joseph Mo., for the murder of her husband, Frank Richardson, the wealthy merchant, at Savannah, last

Christmas eve. Gus Davis, a negro, was hanged at Belle-

in Fillmore county, Minne- | ance to Natal. ville, Henderson & St. Louis Railroad sota, Emile Sandlie, charged with counterlearned that hundreds of persons were felting. A complete set of counterfeiters' paraphernalia is said to have been found in his possession. At Rolling Fork, Miss., last night H. E. Hill, a livery stable keeper, was shot and

killed by A. L. Denman, proprietor of the Delta House, and Denman was fatally wounded by Hill. A business dispute caused the shooting. The trial of the nine men charged with the lynching of John Knox, a Canadian,

much talk of trouble from the friends of Help was asked from the fire departments | the accused, but everything was quiet and The man who, about two weeks ago, committed suicide in a Belfast (Ireland) hotel, by shooting, has been identified by a photograph and description furnished to Captain Titus, of the New York detective bureau,

> idan, of Bridgeport, Conn. Claude and Will Baker started to settle an old grudge against George and Will Wright at a church near Easton, Mo., yesterday. Pistols and missiles of all kinds were used. Claude Baker's skull was crushed and he died. All participants in the fight were injured. No arrests have

by the Belfast police, as Col. James Sher-

The attorneys of James Callahan, of Omaha, charged with being one of the abductors of young Cudahy, yesterday filed a motion for the continuance of his trial, which was set for March 20. They urge as grounds for a continuance the necessity of | the presence of Pat Crowe, as set forth in

Callahan's affidavit. After five hours' deliberation the jury at Tiffin, O., yesterday returned a verdict against Edward Trout of murder in the first degree, with recommendations for clemency. Trout shot Henry Koch at Green Springs Aug. 11, 1900. He claimed Koch was unduly intimate with his wife.

Benjamin F. Davis, who was arrested in New York a week ago on a charge of grand larceny, will be taken to Chicago to-day. The New York police say he is wanted in Chicago for the theft of \$8,000 from Hippelyte Didishelm & Bros., jewelers of that city, Davis having been their

Chicago agent. He pleaded guilty. Jimmy Coogan, local light weight pugiist, was shot through the head and killed by Frank Salter, better known as "Plunk" Salter, in a Denver saloon. According to witnesses Coogan first shot at Salter, detwenty-two years of age, and Miss White claring the latter had slandered him. Salbut a high official of the Foreign Office was twenty. Jealousy is given as the ter is under bond on charge of conspiring said to-day to a reporter of the Associated cause of the shooting, though young Bate- with J. E. Wanamaker to assassinate Press: "General Harrison was highly es- | man's family think his mind had become | the latter's son-in-law, ex-Senator D. C.

Burglars broke into the Missouri Pacific station at Sheldon, Mo., dynamited the safe and robbed it of considerable money. Several mail sacks were cut open and letters broken and scattered over the floor, and a number of express packages were rifled. One contained a draft for several thousand Lerhin, sprang a leak at Brest yesterday dollars on the Farmers' Bank at Sheldon, but the draft was left behind. This was few minutes. The crew narrowly escaped the fourth robbery of the depot in four in the boats.

Governor Sayres did not send the exected message to the Texas Legislature negro Henderson at Corsicana owing to marks upon the figures for 1899. The divispeculation purposes. There is no political prompt and vigorous prosecution of all members of the mob regardless of their The impeachment trial of Chief Justice standing in the community and will exert Furches and Associate Douglas, of the his effort to bring to justice those impli-

arrested Robert Lee and another cowboy, of cattle valued at \$37,000 belonging to the A trolley car bound from Plainfield to Crow Indians. The leader and other mem-

The post-mortem examination on the body Instead of dying from heart disease, as of Herbert C. Wadham, who is alleged justified or not. brought out facts which will cause the The coroner's physician found that the side had been fractured. The left lung was injured, possibly by one of the broken ribs, and there were numerous discolorations on the face and body.

Governor Aycock yesterday sent a special message to the North Carolina General Assembly, stating that a 34,000 deficit had been found in the accounts of the State Prison in the treasury department. State Treasurer Lacey, Maj. W. H. Martin, a clerk in the office for years until the 10th of March, 1901, confessed that he took to the church and in charity. He was arrested on a warrant charging embezzlement and went to jail in default of \$4,000 bond. Major Martin is sixty years of age. The United States District Court grand ury yesterday considered the cases of Geo. M. Foster, formerly cashier of the South tariff chicanery of foreign countries." Danvers National Bank, of Peabody, and John W. Dickinson, of Boston, a shareholder in the bank, charged with misappropriation of funds of the institution, and to-day returned a joint indictment in fifteen counts against the men. The indictment places the total sum involved at \$49,000. The grand jury also returned a minister of war to re-engage a certain At Fort Scott, Kan., supreme officers of separate indictment against Foster in three

# Movements of Steamers.

NEW YORK, March 14.-Arrived: Kensington, from Antwerp. Sailed: La Champagne, for Havre. LIVERPOOL, March 14.-Arrived: Teutonic, from New York. Sailed: New England, for Boston.

NAPLES, March 14.-Arrived: Trave, from New York, via Gibraltar, for Naples, midian, for Liverpool; Belgian, for Ant-

QUEENSTOWN, March 14.-Sailed: Oceanic, from Liverpool, for New York. ROTTERDAM, March 14.- Sailed: Maas-YOKOHAMA, March 13.-Sailed: Tacoma. from Hong-Kong, for Tacoma. BOSTON, March 14.-Arrived: Pomeranian, from Glasgow.

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Congress has provided no machinery to ALBANY DISTRICT OF CAPE COLONY OVERRUN BY THE BOERS.

> Which Britain Must Pay, Taken by the invaders.

ADELAIDE, Cape Colony, March 13 .-Kritzinger's commando is working northward and has eluded three British columns. It passed here on both sides of the town without attacking. Yesterday evening a Boer patrol captured four native scouts and shot three of them. Kritzinger's men have carried oft all the horses in the Albany district, for which, as they were registered, Great Britain will have to pay £10,000. The raiders were civil to the inhabitants of the district, though they commandeered the horses and food. They did not indulge in the wanton destruction of monthly from fifteen to twenty-five checks | property, and in many cases offered cash

#### The Plague Spreading.

CAPE TOWN, March 14.-Owing to the from jail of twelve strikers, who were con- increasing gravity of the outbreak of buvicted in the Schuylkili county court for bonic plague in Cape Colony, the authorities here purpose confining the soldiers to six to twelve years. A number of bills camps and barracks. The number of European cases is increasing, four having favor the miners were also approved. The been officially reported to-day. In addition convention asked for the withdrawal of to these there were eight colored cases rehe bill creating the bureau of mines, and ported. Thus far there have been thirtythe repeal of the law creating coal and iron | seven deaths all told. Wholesale inoculation was begun in Cape Town to-day and 2,000 natives were treated. The plague has made its appearance at Malmesburg, Cape Colony.

# Rebel De Jager Sentenced.

PIETERMARITZBURG, Natal, March 14.-The trial of the most prominent rebel in this colony, a man named De Jager, has ville, Tex., yesterday for the murder of been concluded. He was sentenced to five Herman Schluens, a white farmer, last years' imprisonment and to pay a fine of December. The crime was a coldblooded £5,000. De Jager was a Boer commandant. one and Davis narrowly escaped lynching | His defense was that a Transvaal burgher court had decided that, although he was Deputy United States Marshal Lovering | not a naturalized burgher, he owed allegi-

## GOLD UNDER THE SEA.

Rich Bar Staked Under Bering Water -Hard Trip from Nome.

coast for about 100 miles up from Snake his party had a hard trip, having run short their moccasins and deer skins. They found no gold, although they prospected the country thoroughly. Stampedes have oc-

### GENERAL FOREIGN NEWS.

It is rumored that a crisis is imminent in the Portuguese Cabinet. Charles T. Yerkes is in England looking after the construction of the Charing Cross

& Hempstead Railway. The Berlin Street-rallway Company has adopted the American system of safety appliances to prevent running over pedes-

trians. The official laboratory at Hamburg has discovered that the sand which fell during fleet that must be made sufficient at what- races will be held Aug 5-ie. six ctaker, with the recent snowstorm in northwestern Germany came from the African Sahara. William J. Bryan, on his way home from New York, stopped off long enough in Chicago to pay his respects to J. G. Johnson,

utive committee. The general of the Dominicans has convoked a general chapter to meet at Ghent June 25 for a discussion of the situation of the Dominicans in the Philippines, France and South America.

chairman of the Democratic national exec-

The following Americans have been appointed chevaliers of the Legion of Honor in connection with the Paris exposition: Col. Charles Chaille Long, James Deering, Humphreys, the artist, and Mr. Puig, an

The London Times says it believes that in addition to the sugar tax and the reimposition of the registration duty of a shilling on corn the British income tax will be increased by twopence tax, or four pence on the pound. A French torpedo boat which had been

sent to meet an incoming transport, the and suddenly began to fill, sinking in a The annual report of the Hamburg-American Steamship Company, which has just been published, shows net earnings for 1900

no steps had been taken by his Majesty's government to revise the Hay-Pauncefote

to consider in a friendly way any pro-United States. Counsel for Miss Portia Knight has written a letter to the London papers denying the statement, purporting to have been made by the Duke of Manchester, to the effect that he considered the action taken to be quite unjustified and that he believed it had been dropped. According to counsel the breach of promise suit is proceeding

and the courts will decide whether it is

The invitation to participate in the shooting contests to be held at Seagirt under the auspices of the American National Rifle Association was brought to the attention of the Foreign Office at the proper time by his powers and did not always act upon the United States embassy at Berlin and those he knew he possessed. He goes on to by the German ambassador in Washington. The matter has been referred to the proper been made in the organs of the shooting

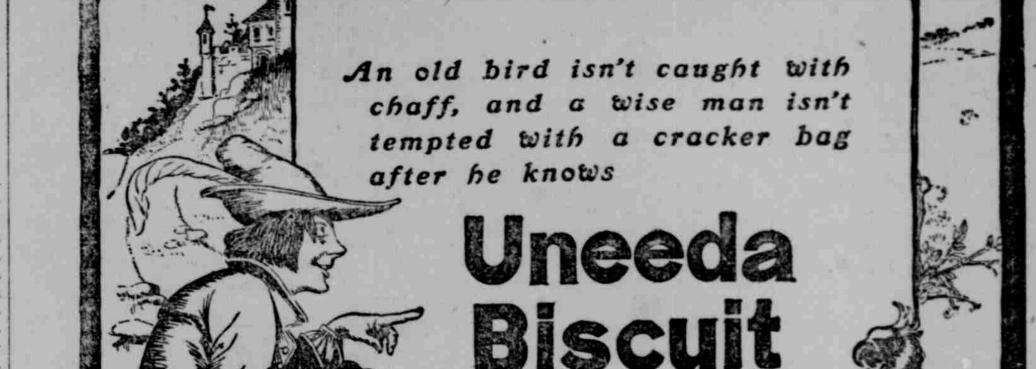
societies. From a Berlin source usually reliable it is ascertained that the negotiations be- | nouncing a final opinion, tween the Prussian Cabinet and the imperial secretaries of state regarding the advisability of adopting the maximal and minimal tariff system will require another fortnight for completion. Count Von Buelow is understood not to have reached a decision on the subject. In the present negotiations Ministerial Director Wermuth, who vocate of maximal and minimal tariffs as "the only available safeguards against the

As a result of the Cabinet council, Gen- year, eral Andre. French minister of war, will ask the senatorial commission on finances to adopt and submit to the Senate the clause in the budget, already voted by the Chamber of Deputies, which authorizes the number of privates at increased pay for renewable periods, from one to five years, and to release a number of soldiers who are the support of their families and who have served one or two years under the colors. The number of re-engagements depends upon the expense, which must not exceed the economies resulting from releases. If the experiment is satisfactory the two 3 to 1. years' system will be definitely considered. Its establishment would cost 20,000,000

admitted that it is building submarine

francs a year.

their corrected dimensions and other par- jump. PORTLAND, Me., March 14 .- Sailed: Nu- ticulars. They will be sixty-three feet | Ed Scott, the pitcher, denies that he has | Baltimore Herald. four inches long, have eleven feet nine signed with the Cincinnati team. Ban inches beam and have a submerged dis- | Johnson has had a conference with Scott, to enable them to steam 400 knots. The tract. maximum surface speed will be nine knots. The main motor will be electtic, giving a submerged speed of seven knots. Means will be provided for expelling torpedoes under a variety of conditions. The armament of these boats will consist of a single torpedo expulsion tube, located in the bow of the vessel. They will be able to carry | 2:30 pace. five torpedoes, each eleven feet five inches !



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ARMY REFORM OPPOSED

BRITISH GOVERNMENT'S PLANS CRIT-ICISED IN THE COMMONS.

Lord Roberts Belittled by Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman-Remarks of Sir W. V. Harcourt.

LONDON, March 14.-In the House of Commons to-day the leader of the opposi-VICTORIA, B. C., March 14.-News has | tion searchingly criticised the government's reached here from Cape Nome that during | Iroposals for the increase and reform of December a rich bar was staked which is the army. Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman beneath Bering sea and parallels the said: "The name and fame of Lord Roberts are a little too largely invoked in this river. Those who located the claims had question. Lord Roberts has spent nearly circuit. Louisville is being given serious to cut through five feet of ice to reach the the whole of his military life in India, sand and gravel, which was very rich. In where he has had to deal with a finished summer the claims will be totally sub- article, but he has had no experience of the merged. J. Densmore has returned to peculiar difficulties found in England of Nome from Kuskokwim and reports that late in utilizing and furnishing raw material." He declared that no justification | 1 of provisions, and had eaten three dogs. had been offered by the government for increasing the aggressive military power of Great Britain. Dwelling upon the difficurred from Nome to American creek in culty of getting recruits, he asserted that 1 to 2; Glendenning, 1 to 2; My Gypsey, Moukrock and Norton sound, where rick the country would not stand conscription, strikes have been made. a military system and spirit which would fatally change the character of the nation

> and the empire. Sir William Vernon Harcourt, who re viewed the rapid increase in the army estimates during recent years, said that nothing could be more hollow than the idea that great armaments were a security for peace, adding that it was an easy matter to make a war inevitable. He opposed the proposal to have 120,000 men ready to send "Other countries need greater armies," said Sir William, "because they have long and vulnerable frontiers. England's position is in the sea, and it is the

ever cost. After midnight and during the debate of called for a division, and Mr. Timothy Healy, rising with evident excitement, asked the speaker whether the noble lord, the premier's son, was entitled to interrupt. He addressed some remarks to Lord | men's show, Fred Gilbert made a score Hugh Cecil, which were drowned in an uproar of shouts and cries of "Send for the

The speaker sternly called Mr. Healy to order, asking him to stop interrupting. Mr. Healy retorted: "I won't. You can do what you like, but keep the premier's son in order. You won't turn him out. Then turning to Lord Hugh Cecil Mr. Healy exclaimed: "We won't stand nonsense from you. All the time the Nationalists were cheering, laughing and shouting "Turn him out!" "Fetch the police!" and the like.

#### Eventually order was restored. Lord Wolseley's Charges.

LONDON, March 15 .- A parliamentary paper was issued, last evening, containing Lord Wolseley's memorandum to Lord Salisbury, dated Nov. 12, 1900, and the critical minutes on the same by Lord Lansdowne and Mr. Brodrick. The memorandum, vesterday touching on the burning of the of 23,866,924 marks, or an increase of 6,011.885 downe in the recent debate in the House of Lords, gives, in substance, the gist of Lord | Sheckard, Brodie, Snedgrass and Collins, Wolseley's speech in the upper chamber. outfielders; Rohe, subinfielder. "The other "fifth wheel to the coach," declares that | Johnson, "but I do not deem it expedient the existing system is unworkable and can to give out the names until aftr conferring under secretary for the Foreign Office, said | be found in no other army in the world, and | recommends either that the army be again placed under a military commander or, if treaty, but the government would be ready | for some nonmilitary reasons, this is not practicable, then that the office of composals made toward that object by the mander-in-chief, as now constituted, be abolished. It is now merely a high-sounding title, with no real responsibility attached." says the memorandum, "and answers no

useful military purpose. Lord Lansdowne, in a minute dated Nov. 17, declares that Lord Wolseley was mistaken in believing that he (Wolseley) was not responsible for the efficiency of the army and that he failed to realize the limitations imposed by the parliamentary system. He describes Lord Wolseley's first alternative as "reactionary and mischiev-

ous," and the second as "less dangerous, but inadvisable. Mr. Brodrick says, in a minute, that Lord Wolseley failed to appreciate the extent of point out that Lord Wolseley omitted to mention mobilization and intelligence, for channels and notice of the meeting has | both of which he alone was responsible. The new system, in Mr. Brodrick's opinion has worked well, but Mr. Brodrick, like Lord Roberts, desires to try it before pro-

# GENERAL SPORTING NEWS.

De Oro won second prize in the chamnight, by defeating Stofft, 150 to 70. Frank Donahue, one of the Philadelphia was German commissioner at the Colum- National League club's pitchers, has signed bian Exposition in Chicago, is the main ad- | a contract with that club to play again. Natioal League ball club, has signed a the latter date. Within that period there contract to play with the same club this were 129 casualties from all causes, of

Outfielder Jones, of the Brooklyn Na-

fielder, and George C. Brooks, of Baltimore, | gunshot wounds was ninety-six. a pitcher. The Muncie Polo team now has no chance of winning the Western championship in

the contest with Richmond and Racine.

Wis., as it lost another game to Richmond

Fred B. Greener has broken his own Now that the British government has mont (N. Y.) rinks ice carnival, lowering wounded, making 30 per cent. of casualties. the standing high jump record by 14 inches boats, the Vickers Company has given out | and clearing 5 feet 7 inches in the broad

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Saturday. The most important business to come before the meeting is the fixing of the consideration as a possible participant in the Western League race, and it is probable that the end of the week will see the circuit completed.

Yesterday's race winners-At New Orleans: Woodtrice, 2 to 1; Eitholin, 11 to 5; . H. Eloan, 9 to 10; Eleanor Howard, 3 to Petit Maitre, 8 to 5; Miss Golightly, 4 to At Tanforan: Tizona, 8 to 1; Sing, 7 to 1; Tuthill, 7 to 5; Theory, 5 to 2; Immodell 20 to 1; Tom Sharkey, 20 to 1. At Oakland: Zirl, 8 to 5; Mike Strauss, 4 to 5; The Light, to 1: St. Wood, 8 to 5.

St. Louis Fair Association will pass into the possession of a syndicate represented by C. A. Tilles, Sam W. Adler and Louis A. Cella, the leading owners of Delmar track. It is said the purchase price will be \$600,-The Adler-Cella-Tilles combination owns the Little Rock (Ark.) race track and is the chief financial promoter of the new Delmar race track in St. Louis. The threatened clash between the High-land Park Club, lessees of the Fort Eric

race track, and the Buffalo Driving Club has been averted and the matter settled to the satisfaction of both. Grand Circuit total of \$18,000 added money, close to-day They include the Electric City and Pansupply, a scene occurred. Lord Hugh Cecil American, with \$5,900 each, for 2:24 trotters and pacers, respectively. An attractive collection of class races will be arranged. During the trap shooting ,yesterday, in connection with the New York sports-

of 100 kills out of a possible 100. Fox put a high score of 125 kills in the continuous match. The best scores in the contest follow: Continuous match-Fox 125; Gilbert, 108; Heikes, 107; Fanning, 102; Association championship-Gilbert, 100; Crosby, 99; Banks, 99; Watson, 98; Fanning, 98; Griffith, 38; Parmeles, 58. The fourteen men left in the six days go-as-you-please match, at Philadely are still wearily grinding out miles. Howarth, who was well up among the leaders was compelled to withdraw from the race yesterday, on account of his weakened physical condition. The score at 11 o'clock last night was: Glick, 347 miles; Hegelman, 345; Barnes, 341; Tracy, 337; Cava-naugh, 319; Dean, 289; Golden, 285; Hart, 260; Clifford, 210; Sheed, 206; Loslin, 185; Noremac, 177; McTague, 176; Wintasch, 121. Paseball League, yesterday gave out the official list of players signed for the Baland Latimer, catchers; McGinnity, Howell, Nors, Schmidt, Bresnehan, Teister and Yerkes, pitchers; Foutz, first base; Reitz, second; Reister, short; McGraw, unird;

with the managers of the different teams.' It is proposed to pit Cresceus. The Abbott, Charley Herr and Boralma against to construct a Pacific cable and ship subeach other and settle the question of which is the fastest trotter in the world. A. J Welch has offered to bring off the big sweepstakes race at Hartford, Conn., next summer. The conditions will be \$1,250 a corner, with \$20,000 added. The first races will be on Labor day, with Cresceus against The Abbott, and Charley Herr against Boralma. George Ketcham, owner of Cresceus, said at Toledo, yesterday: I will enter Cresceus in every class and

#### Grand Circuit this year." NAVY SUFFERED IN CHINA.

the Spanish-American War.

Reypen, surgeon general of the navy, has trouble in China than there were during for both liquor and table supplies of a the entire Spanish-American war. As there kind not included in the regular rations. pionship pool tournament, at Boston, last | is no exact time fixed for the opening of the 13 to Oct. 13, the first regiment of United | wishes, and an investigation should be Outfielder Daniel Green, of the Chicago | States marines departing from China on to be supported. which thirty resulted in death. The greatest number of casualties came from guntional League ball team, has signed to shot wounds. June 21 there were thirtyplay with Comiskey's Waite Stockings this four casualties of this kind. The cases of heat stroke also ran high, with two deaths, Manager Selee, of the Boston National eleven serious cases short of death and League team, has signed John Barry, out- many minor ones. The entire number of

During the Spanish-American war the gunshot wounds not only were fewer in number, but decidedly less fatal, the percentage of deaths being 19 in the Spanish-American war and 26 per cent. in the China. here suddenly to-night of angina pectoris at Richmond, last night, by the score of This was largely due to the fact that the at the home of Charles T. Gorham, whose Spaniards used the small Mauser pro- funeral he attended to-day. jectiles, while the Chinese used large-bore guns, shell and shrapnel. The marine guard previous high records for both standing in Peking suffered the worst loss, for out broad and high jump on skates at the Cier- of fifty-six men eight were killed and nine

# Growth of Appropriations.

The total appropriations made during the placement of 120 tons. The main engine, and it is probable the latter will be with is enormous. Even without the river and of the gasoline type, will be of 160 horse one of the American League clubs this sea- harbor bill the aggregate amounts to \$735,- test that the vulgar and senseless "Willie power. The boats will carry enough fuel son. He says he has not yet signed a con- 000,000. In the course of the first session there was appropriated \$710,150,862, so that Journal and other Hearst publications The management of Charter Oak Park. the grand total reaches the stupendous fig- should cease. Hartford, has officially announced its ure of \$1,448,150,862. When the Fifty-first early closing events, to close Monday. Congress set the record at over \$000,000,000 April 1, as follows: Charter Oak purse, for the first two sessions it was denounced \$10,000, 2:13 trot; five events for \$3,000 each, for reckless extravagance, and the Demo-2:19 trot, 2:30 trot, 2:09 pace, 2:14 pace and crats used this cry with great success in A meeting of the Western Baseball gress since then has fallen below the mark. that spring clothes will take all the money League has been called in St. Paul for On the contrary, all of them have exceeded that might be spent on excursions.



# BURTON ALE

What the Interstate Medical Journal says, Page 449, Sept. 19, 1900: "Burton Ale, on account of being scientifi-cally brewed and ripened, is free from the acid-ities sometimes found in similar products."

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44 North Pennsylvania Street. Billion-dollar budgets have become a President Ban Johnson, of the American fixture, and the indicator has now been set at nearly one and a half billions. These amounts seem alarming in their magnitude. timore team. The line-up will be: Robinson | Vast as our growth in prosperity has been, the disbursements have increased still more rapidly. But it must be remembered that exceptional conditions prevail. We are required to maintain a large army in the Philippines and to keep in service a big He designates the commander-in-chief as teams are practically made up," said Mr. fleet of transports. Garrisons are still stationed at a number of points in Cuba, and heavy demands are otherwise made upor the War and Navy Departments. Under the circumstances such meritorious measures as the Nicaragua canal bill, the bill

# For the W. C. T. U. to Think About.

sidies will have to wait.

Detroit Journal The army canteen having been abolished. especial interest attaches to the opinion credited to army officers by a Chicago telegram, that a recent riot of soldiers near Fort Sheridan may be charged up to the stake to which he is eligible through the | change from liquor selling in the soldiers' club to liquor buying at the nearest saloon, Members of the W. C. T. U. at Chicago should investigate the report without prejudice and tell us whether, in all probability. the riot would have occurred had there been a canteen at the fort; also whether. More Casualties There Than During in their judgment, one or more young met have been kept from forming a taste for liquor because of the abolishment of the canteen; and, too, whether it is likely that the soldiers injured in the riot would prob-WASHINGTON, March 14.—Admiral Van ably have been within the fort grounds and safe had there been a canteen to keep them away from the groggery. General prepared an interesting statement show- Otis is reported in the same telegram as ing that there were more casualties in the being of the opinion that the soldiers now spend more money in the saloons for liquor alone than they ever did in the canteen Let the Christian women who feel a special interest in the subject investigate this behostilities in China June 13 is adopted. The | lief of the general's and report their findperiod of trouble in China runs from June | ings. The truth is what the public at large

HELENA, Mont., March 14.-Frank E. Corbett, speaker of the House of Representatives, died in Butte to-day of pneumonia, aged thirty-seven years. He was a graduate of the law school of the University of Virginia, his native State. For ten years he had been attorney for W. A. Clark. He was formerly president of the State Bar Association.

AUSTIN, Tex., March 14 .- T. S. Smith. attorney general of Texas, died here tonight of Bright's disease.

# morning.

Memphis Commercial-Appeal (Dem.) In the name of common decency, we pro-

The proposition to change inauguration

without preconceived theories or opinions

# Obituary.

MARSHALL, Mich., March 14.-Judge Walter Ingalls Hayes, of Clinton, Ia., died

LONDON, March 14.-Arthur Sanders Gore, the fifth Earl of Arran, died this

# Protest in Behalf of Decency.

and His Pa" pictures in the New York The Objection.

Baltimore American. the next national campaiga. But no Con- day to April 39 meets with the objection